



# REMARKABLE STORY OF COAL COMBINATION.

## Sent From Beaver Dam and Published Without Investigation as to Facts.

### SINGULAR IGNORANCE OF FACTS IN THE STORY.

Asserted that Mr. J. B. Atkinson Owns Fourteen Mines and Will Combine Others.

### THERE IS NOTHING IN IT.

A remarkable stupid report was sent out from Beaver Dam, Ky., last Friday, which found space for publication without comment or investigation in the Louisville Evening Post, an Owensboro paper and the Madisonville Hustler. This report touches nearly all the coal operators of Western Kentucky and asserts that a big combination will be effected with Mr. J. B. Atkinson.

Here is the Beaver Dam telegram: Beaver Dam, Ky., Oct. 31.—There is a move on foot to consolidate all the coal mines in Western Kentucky, and it is said, on what seems good authority, too, that the deal will be consummated within the next two or three weeks. Mr. J. B. Atkinson, of Earlington, who owns fourteen mines in Hopkins and Webster counties, is managing the big deal for an Eastern syndicate. If the deal goes through it will include, besides all the mines in Hopkins and Webster counties, the colliers at the following places: Taylor, Williams, Henry, Bender, Brakes, Central City, Beyer, Drakeboro, Mud River, Powderly, Hillsdale, Oakland, Lucerne and St. Charles. Mr. Atkinson is the only operator in the entire Western Kentucky district who does not employ union labor.

There are about 1,000 union miners in this county (Ohio) alone, and they are all very much interested in the deal. They think that if it goes through Mr. Atkinson will have control and will try to substitute nonunion labor.

The facts of the matter, as telegraphed to the daily press by the Earlington correspondent, are stated in the appended dispatch. This correction was printed in the Louisville papers Saturday, the day following the publication of the Beaver Dam grapevine story. People who have read all of the widely published facts concerning this coal field, recognized the singular lack of truth in some of the statements in the above dispatch. To those yet unenlightened the following dispatch will convey some interesting information:

Earlington, Ky., Nov. 1.—It is emphatically denied at the office of the St. Bernard Mining Company this morning that Mr. John B. Atkinson, President of that company, has anything to do with any deal for the combination of coal mines in the Western Kentucky coal field, as was reported from Beaver Dam yesterday. Mr. Atkinson was called last night on account of the death of a relative and could not be seen. Other statements in the report referred to are also incorrect. Mr. Atkinson does not own fourteen mines in Hopkins and Webster counties, as stated, but his company does own and operate seven mines in Hopkins and owns certain lands in Webster county, which have not been developed.

There are other important errors of statement in the dispatch referred to, which interest the people of this section. One of these is that Mr. Atkinson is the only operator in the entire Western Kentucky district to do so, and employ union labor. Outside of the St. Bernard Mining Company, there are six other operators in Hopkins and four operators in Webster and Christian counties, none of whom employ union labor.

It is positively stated that Mr. Atkinson is not now and has at no time been interested or taken part

### THE MAN AHEAD.

BLUE G. BARR.

There's the man behind the counter  
And the man behind the gun,  
The man behind the buzz-saw  
And the man behind the sun.  
There's the man behind the times,  
The man behind the buzz-saw  
And the man behind the sun.  
The man who spends his money  
And never has a cent.  
There's the man behind the kodak  
And the man behind the gears,  
The man behind on pay day  
And the man behind the bars.  
But there is another man  
Of whom nothing much is said;  
He is the fellow who is even,  
Or a little bit ahead.  
He always pays for what he gets,  
His bills are always signed.  
He's a darn sight more important  
Than the man who is behind.  
All the editors and merchants  
And the whole commercial clan  
Are indebted for existence  
To this noble, honest man.  
He keeps them all in business  
And his town is never dead,  
And so we take our hat off  
To the man who is ahead.

### DAWSON WINS

By a Majority of 7.—Score of the Dawson and Earlington Gun Clubs.

| Earlington.                           | Dawson.             |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Barter.....29                         | Lutz.....31         |
| Renfrow.....35                        | Perry.....35        |
| Keown.....26                          | Wallace.....33      |
| Long.....25                           | Dempsey.....26      |
| Arnold.....25                         | Barnett.....29      |
| Griffin.....18                        | Clark.....25        |
| Goodloe.....17                        | Fox.....27          |
| Oldham.....21                         | Lindsey.....29      |
| Smith.....17                          | Steward.....31      |
| Total.....217                         | Total.....224       |
| Smith and Steward shot only 30 shots. | The others shot 40. |

### An Education at a Nominal Cost.

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The Southern Normal School, College, of Bowling Green, Kentucky, are two of the greatest schools of their kind in the South. During the year just closed, more than 1,000 different boarding, students matriculated, more than three hundred of these being in the Business College alone. This institution is magnificently equipped and the work is thoroughly organized. Specialists are in charge of the various departments and the instruction is high-class and thorough. The Normal School operates the schools of Law, Music, Elocution and Oratory, Pedagogy and the Preparatory. County Certificate, State Certificate, Junior Scientific, Senior Scientific and Classical Courses. The Business College embraces the departments of Penmanship, Stenography and Typewriting, Telegraphy and Civil Service, and in addition the regular courses in Book-keeping. Expenses are very reasonable. The Business College does the finest work of any in the South in getting lucrative positions for its graduates. Those interested are cordially invited to send for catalogue and circulars. Address:

H. H. CHERRY,  
Bowling Green, Ky.

There was a large house at the Auditorium last night, where Harry Ward's minstrels sang and danced their way into the good graces of the audience. There was plenty of applause, and the performance deserved it. It was a remarkable affair, both scenically and vocally. The opening act was more elaborate than any that has been seen at the big house this season, and would have done credit to any troupe. Several of the specialties introduced were received with vociferous welcome, which made it difficult matter for the performers to get off the stage. Harry Ward himself was one of the hits, and the dancing specialty of Inera and Neff was a good example of buck and wing dancing. There were also some good voices in the organization, and the singing of the Harmonio Four pleased the large audience immensely. Manager Stainback has been very fortunate this season with the engagements at his house, and last night was no exception.—Memphis Appeal-Avalanche.

There was quite an excitement created near the depot Tuesday, a mule attached to a wagon fell down. Everyone thought it was a fight, hence the excitement.

# DOWN IN THE MINES.

Judging from newspaper reports coke ovens will soon be constructed at Sturgis, Ky. These reports say that a coal especially adapted to the production of coke has been discovered there, but the probability is that it is of the same quality as we have here. The great demand of late for coke is, no doubt, mostly caused by the anthracite coal strike opening up a market for this fuel to take the place of hard coal.

W. G. Wright, bookkeeper for the Crabtree Coal Co., was over here last Sunday on a visit to family and friends. The new house, being constructed for his use at Isley, will be completed in about two weeks, where he will move his family there.

If Madisonville strikes a flow of gas while sinking a well, why could not a good paying well be found here?

The parties who secured the option on coal right at Robards have, we understand, lost out by lapse of time limit on options.

Geo. C. Atkinson, James R. Rash, Paul M. Moore and H. C. Bourland, of the St. Bernard Mining Co., will take part in the conference of the Shrine degree upon several candidates next Saturday at Madisonville.

Mr. John Nolan, agent for the St. Bernard Mining Co. and R. R. Co., combined, at Barnesville, is in very feeble health and it is thought will be compelled to go south for a few months. A bronchial trouble seems to be the affliction from which he has been a great sufferer for months past.

The widow of the late Barton Crutchfield, superintendent of the St. Charles mine, will, we understand, soon purchase property and move to Earlington.

A false rumor about last week to the effect that the Western Kentucky coal mines would enter a combine, of which the St. Bernard Mining Co. was the leading factor, was quickly contradicted by the local correspondent of leading daily papers.

The first of the month resembled somewhat of a holiday at this place, as hundreds of miners were seen in and around the stores, ordering and having goods delivered to their homes. This monthly performance is a pleasant sight to witness. All are apparently happy and able to secure the desirable things of life, if they show a willingness to work.

Generally speaking the public, on the outside of those directly engaged in the coal mining business, are possessed of the idea that immense fortunes are made by coal operators and owners of coal producing properties, and when told the contrary they are slow to believe. It is nevertheless a fact that there is little profit in the coal business, if we can believe the statement of such worthy men as Mr. Fred Powell, of Seebree, who has been actively engaged in the coal business at that place for several years past, and who, for the reason that he could not profitably run the mine at that place, sold his interests in the Seebree coal mine to Mr. Ramsey, of that place, who will continue its operation. Mr. Powell says he could make no money, in fact not enough to pay interests on investments, and, desiring to get rid of the worry for nothing, he sold out, with the exception of the mineral rights on about 1,700 acres, which he will hold for higher prices.

A local cart driver, hauling coal about the city, became so incensed at a mule that he knocked it down with a whip. He was called to account in the police court and fined.

The little "Sadie" engine, placed at the South Diamond mine, was operated some last week. We are told that Mr. Colly Brown will be the engineer in charge as soon as regular work is begun.

Engineer Joe Brown, of the No. 11 engine, came near meeting with a serious accident last week. A portion of the roof over the track fell and the engine running into same was badly damaged. Joe escaped with some flesh wounds.

So interested were our miners here in the production of coal that they almost forgot that Tuesday, Nov. 4th was election day.

Foreman Longstaff was called to the Hecla mine one day last week to look after some contemplated changes in shaft. Tom has gained quite a reputation as an expert on shaft sinking and repairs.

Assistant Mechanical Engineer N. W. Umstead had some serious trouble with one of his eyes last week, caused by a small piece of metal getting into it.

Many persons who use hard coal have but little idea of the narrow limits within which the rich deposits are found. They are all in Pennsylvania, and if the whole of the three big fields were brought together in one compact body it would be no larger than a county twenty-four miles long and twenty-two miles wide.

But when the wonderfully productive seams and strata down deep in the bowels of the earth of this seemingly small county are considered the area in square miles has little or no significance. The best idea of its capacity to produce coal may be formed when it is stated that the anthracite production reaches all the way from 50,000,000 to 60,000,000 tons a year.

There are three principal fields, all in the northeastern corner of the state, the Wyoming, the Schuylkill and the Lehigh region, mentioned in order of their importance. In 1900 the output in round numbers was: Wyoming, 25,000,000 tons; Schuylkill, 13,500,000 tons; Lehigh, 7,000,000.

A recent volume showing the mineral resources of the United States for the calendar year 1901, United States Geological Survey, estimates the world's production of coal in 1901 at 806,165,640 short tons. The three great coal producing countries of the world are the United States, Great Britain and Germany. The output of these three countries combined makes up 81.01 per cent. of the world's total. Austria-Hungary comes fourth, France is fifth, Belgium sixth and Russia seventh. The last country, notwithstanding its vast area, produces only about 6 per cent. as much coal as the United States.

The L. & N. is now running chair cars on the Memphis line between Bowling Green and Memphis. These cars are a great improvement over the old style seats and one can rest as comfortably as if at home in the rocker. The L. & N. is all right. She keeps abreast of the times.

# LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

Conductor Sam Morgan has gone to house keeping at his residence in the city.

There have been several changes among the brass pounders this week.

Operator Elliott has severed his connection with the company and will go in business in Illinois for himself.

Operator Grasty has returned from Morton, where he has been on the sick list for several days.

Operator Sanders went to Cincinnati last week on account of the illness of his sister.

Operator Prather is now working days at this place during the absence of Operator Sanders.

Operator McKeown is now day copier since Mr. Elliott has resigned.

Operator Smith, of Slaughters, is now night copier in the dispatcher's office.

An amusing incident occurred at Mason, Tenn., on the Memphis line one day recently. Train 101 pulled into Mason and stopped. There was a fresh guy sitting at a window ogling the girls on the platform. As the train started to pull out he waved a kiss to a pretty girl near by and shouted: "Good-bye, darling, I will see you later." The train pulled down to the switch and backed in the siding for 104. While waiting for 104 to come, a lank six footer boarded the train and took the fresh guy by the collar and proceeded to mop up the floor with him, remarking as he left: "The next time you try to dirt with a pretty gal in a strange place, be sure that her husband ain't around."

Lee Cozort, the ex-railroad man, of Madisonville, was in the city Tuesday.

Conductor Simons is laying off sick. He hopes to be able to return to work in a few days.

Over 700 men are being employed at present by the Illinois Central shops at Paducah, which is the largest force they have worked since locating there several years ago. The shops have more work than they can dispose of in months.

Lebanon Junction of today is the product of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, which has done much toward the progress of the town and the comfort of its people. This road is now putting up works in the corporate limits that cost over \$100,000, giving work to seventy-five men and causing a great increase in business.—Cor. Courier-Journal.

Dispatcher Houston, who formerly worked at this place, is now working the third trick in Nashville for the N. & D.

Dispatcher Scott is on the sick list this week. Dispatcher Chas. Bauer, of Evansville, relieves him.

Railroad life and politics are about on a par. You never know when some fellow is going to turn you down.

The ladies' coach on the Cottonbelt Route between Memphis and Dallas, Tex., is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. It is fitted up in elegant style with revolving, reclining, cushioned chairs with footstools for each chair and small tables at intervals along the side of the coach for card playing or other purposes. The car is nicely carpeted throughout and is modern in every respect. One can travel from Memphis to Dallas without change in this coach and enjoy all the comforts of a Pullman palace car.

If you need anything in the Furniture and Undertaking line don't forget to call on Edward Thompson, of Madisonville. He is up-to-date and keeps the latest styles. Prices moderate and satisfaction guaranteed.



furnished upon application.







## THE ELECTION RESULTS.

The Story Told By The Ballots In The States Which Held Elections Tuesday.

### NO GENERAL CHANGE IN COMPLEXION.

Republicans Retain Control of the National House of Representatives, But With a Slightly Reduced Majority and a Loss of Four in the Senate.

New York, Nov. 5.—The elections were held Tuesday in 42 states and the returns thus far received indicate that the control of the national congress remains with the republican party. While official action has not made the working majority of the republican party in the house a close one, there is no doubt that it is sufficient for all party purposes. From a national standpoint the control of the lower branch of congress was the real contest. In that position, 41 states elected legislatures which will choose United States senators, but the result on these elections has in no way imperiled the republican majority in the upper body. In those states which elected governors there was no state in which the party in power was not continued in that position, and none of the states, however, that was a decided change from the vote cast two years ago.

In the east the main interest centered in the two great states of New York and Pennsylvania. In the latter because of the close contest, and in New York because of its bearing on the future of the party of the republican candidate for governor. New York re-elected Gov. E. B. O'Neil and the entire state ticket, though the falling off in the republican vote as compared with 1900, was enormous. O'Neil's plurality is placed at about 10,000. The democrats made a very slight gain in the legislature, but enough to injure the election of a republican successor to Senator Platt. The democrats also made slight gains in the congressional elections, the official figures placing the delegation at 40 republicans, 17 democrats.

In Pennsylvania, Samuel W. Pennypacker, republican, was elected governor by a plurality estimated at more than 150,000, while the legislature is overwhelmingly republican. The democrats elected three of the 23 congressmen.

The indications in New Hampshire are that Nelson S. Hilditch, republican candidate for governor, was elected over Henry F. Hollis, democrat, by a plurality of 10,000. There was a heavy shrinkage from the vote of two years ago. The legislature is republican in both branches by large majorities, and the republican successor to Senator Gallinger, who will probably succeed him.

In the west, Kansas, Idaho and Utah were storm centers of the fight for United States senators, while in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and several other states, local congressional districts attracted much interest.

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### CARELESS HANDLING OF FIREWORKS.

CORNER SCHOLAR Connecting a Searching Inquest in an Effort to Place the Responsibility for Tuesday Night's Tragedy in Madison Square.

New York, Nov. 6.—With a list of 12 persons killed and 74 injured before the coroner's inquest, the coroner has inaugurated an investigation of the explosion of fireworks in Madison Square Tuesday evening. Eight men already have been taken up, charged with criminal neglect, and the coroner has issued a warrant for the arrest of John D. Muldoon, of Coney Island, who is alleged to have been in charge of the fireworks.

"It is a case of absolute criminal neglect," said the coroner. "One of the mortars was set off, and it was pointed at a row of other mortars in a line. There was a defect in the bottom of the mortar, and it leaked out the others, which were set off by the fireball thrown toward them."

District Attorney Jerome, who was at the scene in Fifth avenue, hurried to the scene and, after an investigation, ordered the arrest of the men in charge of the fireworks.

A revised list of the dead follows: Patrolman Dennis Shea, of the Brooklyn bridge squad.

William J. Corbett, 12 years old, nephew of Maj. W. H. Buck, of this city.

Harold Robles, 12-year-old son of Michael Robles, proprietor of the Bartholdi hotel.

Nathaniel Bingley, 13 years old. Joseph Arber, 21 years old.

Five unidentified white men and two unidentified colored men.

The scenes at the hospital and at the morgue following the terrible crash after the explosion, were beyond description. It is estimated that 50,000 persons were in the square at the time. Probably 20,000 of these were massed around the point where the explosion occurred. While they were scrambling to reach places of safety, knocking one another down and falling over the bodies of others, 20,000 were cheering from the opposite side of the park, where they were viewing the election returns thrown upon a screen before the new skyscraper known as the "Flat Iron Building."

The persons in this portion of the park apparently were elated over the returns, and supposed the explosion which rent the air were part of the programme, and were totally unaware of the tragedy being enacted so near at hand.

Instantly a terrible call swept over the crowd, and all interest in the returns was lost.

As the long line of patrol wagons, ambulances and other vehicles, carrying dead and injured, filed through Twenty-third street for Bellevue hospital, thousands lined the ways and gazed awe-stricken at the conveyances.

Five hundred persons gathered outside the hospital, and other hundreds came and went during the night, seeking among the unidentified dead, the relatives and friends whom they sought.

The terrible crash at the hospital and among many women. The scene around Bellevue was the most ghastly in the history of the institution.

KING EDWARD AND IRELAND.

Indications that His Majesty is inclined to do something in behalf of Ireland.

New York, Nov. 5.—King Edward has been generally interested in taking part in the negotiations for bringing the Boer war to an end. It is now asserted, cables the London correspondent of the Tribune, that he has been complaining to the ministers of the condition of Ireland, and that the appointment of a new permanent secretary has been made in deference to his wishes. These rumors are so completely contradicted by the revision of Secretary Wyndham's land bill and the semi-official announcement that the king will visit Ireland next year in the spring.

LOCKED IN DEATH'S EMBRACE.

An Aged Omaha Minister and a Young Lady Found Dead In the Church Vestibule.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 5.—Rev. Wm. C. Rabe, pastor of the German Baptist church at Twenty-sixth and Seward streets, and Miss Margaret Rabe, a young lady living in that neighborhood, were found dead, early Wednesday morning, in a vestibule in the rear of the church edifice. The two bodies were locked in embrace, and the gas jets were turned on but not burning. Rev. Rabe was 65 years of age and a prominent minister.

Fire in New York.

New York, Nov. 5.—Fire in the warehouses of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea company, at Twenty-third and Broadway, destroyed the building and stock of the company to the value of \$150,000.

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## GONE DEMOCRATIC.

Little of Kentucky Left to Republicans After the Election.

### FOUR DEMOCRATIC APPELLATE JUDGES.

Rhea Wins in the Third and Kehoe in the Ninth District.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 5.—Kentucky Democrats scored a general victory in yesterday's election. The four Democratic nominees for Appellate Judge, Nunn, Settle, Barker and Paynter, were elected by handsome majorities, and the Democrats elected ten of the eleven Congressmen and reduced the majority of Representative Boreing. In the Eleventh district. The results in the so-called liberal districts were surprising to Democrats and Republicans alike. Rhea winning in the Third by about 1,000, and Kehoe in the Ninth by about 2,000. In the Second appellate district, which was considered a close race, Judge Settle claims his majority will not fall below 1,800. Judge Paynter has scored a record-breaking majority in the Sixth appellate district, 250,000 votes out of 280, with the vote of Lewis county estimated, giving him a majority of 3,880. In Louisville, Barker and Sherry show up with large majorities, and in the normal Democratic districts the majorities exceed those of previous years. In every instance where there was anything like a fight by the Republican candidates.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday evening at 7:30. Regular services second and fourth Sunday morning and evening. Elder J. W. Mitchell, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services first Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and third Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Class meetings, second and fourth Sunday at 4 p. m. E. C. Timmons, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—B. M. Currie, pastor. Services first Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and fourth Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Also one literary meeting each month at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Monday night at 7:30.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Teaching the second and third Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Church meeting Saturday night at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Monday night at 7:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. A. M. Coenen, pastor. First Mass, Sunday morning at 7:30 a. m.; Second Mass, 9:30 o'clock. Evening service at 8:00 every Sunday.

GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. M. Burdette, pastor. Services, third Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night in each month. Sunday School every Sunday afternoon. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Hood, pastor. Services, second Sabbath in each month, and Saturday night before; prayer meeting Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Sunday at 7:30 o'clock.

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IN THE INTEREST  
OF THE

## ..Woman's Christian Temperance Union..

Edited by a White Ribboner.

Miss Eva Marshall Shontz, the brilliant young woman who produced such a profound impression in Madisonville, on Easter Sunday, was in Kansas City, Kan., on Friday evening, Oct. 24, when she addressed a great union church rally of over 1,000 people.

The Texas Liquor Dealer for October says: "Prohibition is today one of the most important political issues in the United States. Any attempt to make it a purely moral and religious issue is childish." All of which is respectfully submitted.

The National Convention of the W. C. T. U., at Portland, Maine, is said to have drawn the largest audiences ever assembled in that city. Besides the actual members of the convention, there were a large number of delegates from Canada, one from Japan, one from South Africa and several from England.

Sunday was a notable day in the convention. In the morning thirty-two pulpits were filled by members of the convention. During the day the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the R. R. Y. M. C. A. and the jail were visited and three mass meetings held.

Invitations for the next convention were received from Texas, Sioux Falls, Milwaukee and Louisville.

One evening called "Jubilee Night" was given to the States which have made a gain of over 500 in membership during the year. There were six states to claim this honor: Illinois, which reported a gain of 1,770; New York, having made a gain of 1,704, now has a membership of 24,143, making the largest enrollment of any state; Pennsylvania, having 15,000 members; Maine, Ohio and Alabama.

Elizabeth Cady Stanton, sometime called "The Grand Old Woman," died October 26, at her home in West Ninety-fourth street, New York City. She was born November 12, 1815, and was therefore nearly 87 years of age at the time of her death. She was the daughter of Judge Daniel Cady, and as a child displayed unusual intelligence.

Mrs. Stanton graduated from Mrs. Emma Willard's Seminary, at Troy, N. Y., in 1832. In 1840, she was married to Henry Brewster Stanton, a noted anti-slavery orator and lecturer. Immediately after their marriage they went to London, to attend the international anti-slavery convention held there, to which Mrs. Stanton was a delegate. On account of being a woman, she was not allowed to participate in its proceedings. Although an anti-slavery convention the emancipation of woman was too radical a measure, at that time for even that body to consider.

Mrs. Stanton, with Mrs. Lucretia Mott, signed the call for the first woman's rights convention, which was held at Seneca Falls, N. Y., her home, July 19 and 20, 1848.

Mrs. Stanton was the head of the movement, and besides caring for the delegates, she wrote the declaration of aims, which although a most masterly document, was the subject of great ridicule and jest throughout the United States.

When Mrs. Stanton's father, Judge Cady, heard of her resolution "That it is the duty of the women of this country to secure to themselves their sacred rights to the elective franchise," he was filled with a fear that her mind had become deranged and hastened from Johnstown to

Seneca Falls to care for her. Finding her still sane he tried to reason with her on the suffrage question, but finding her thoroughly capable of maintaining her own side of the argument, he was obliged to submit to the inevitable.

From 1867 to 1874 she went from state to state campaigning for woman suffrage. She also became a candidate for Congress from the Eight Congressional District of New York, under the patronage of the New York Herald.

When the constitutional convention of Pennsylvania was in session, some time in the 70's, she appeared before that body and made a magnificent appeal that the constitution then being framed should confer upon woman the right of suffrage. Among other things she said, "You say that a woman does not know enough to vote. Well, I am ready to converse with any member of this convention in seven different languages. Who is ready to carry on his part of the conversation?"—and nobody responded.

Mrs. Stanton was the mother of seven children all of whom occupy prominent positions in life and not one that uses tobacco or alcoholic liquors in any form. Surely, this is a noble record for a mother! There could not be stronger evidence that although she engaged in public duties for the good of society she did not neglect her own home.

Many of our readers may remember that at a meeting of the Church Club in New York City last January, two of that city's eminent divines distinguished themselves by indulging in some remarks that will not soon be forgotten by the parties interested.

These two celebrities are Dr. Rainsford and Bishop Potter. Dr. Rainsford made himself famous by saying: "The W. C. T. U. women are doing the devil's work," and Dr. Potter opened his mouth and said: "Prohibition is an impudent failure." That was last January.

At the opening of the convention of the New York diocese, at Holy Trinity Protestant Episcopal church, the last week of September, the good Bishop again distinguished himself by saying: "There are virtues in the saloon. A vast amount of temperance agitation now carried on is tainted with falsehood and necessarily futile. The workingman's task is so narrow and confining that he is not to be blamed if now and then he 'evens up' and introduces a little variety by getting drunk. Prohibitory laws, whether put in operation on any day or on all days, are as stupid as they are ineffectual."

At the national convention of the W. C. T. U., in Portland, Lady Isabel Somerset, in her address on Sunday afternoon in the city hall, before an audience of four thousand people, said: "I am astonished and pained beyond expression to think that a bishop of my own church could give utterance to such statements." She could not understand what blight had fallen upon him to say such things. If Bishop Potter thought these people needed a little variety in their lives, why did he not make some effort himself to establish some means of recreation that would be both wholesome and restful? Lady Isabel's remarks were endorsed by the heartiest applause.

Commenting on Bishop Potter, The Pennsylvania Methodist, published at Harrisburg, says:

"The Bishop does not talk, pray and preach one way and vote another. He is no hypocrite. He argues for rum and votes that way. He justifies drinking and imports a barrel of Scotch rum, and kicks like a mule when Republican custom house officers want him to pay the duty on it. He is generally condemned by ecclesiastics who vote as he does, but talk on the other side. We had rather take his chances in the judgement than those of the men who sign their names to the declaration that 'The liquor traffic cannot be legalized without sin,' and then vote for candidates for office who favor license. Potter is on the wrong side. His influence is most pernicious. He is doing more to pervert humanity than a dozen others can do to save it."

The Evangelical, the leading representative of the United Evangelical church in the United States, comments upon the event in this way:

"Bishop Potter of the Protestant Episcopal Church, standing in the heart of the saloon-ruled and liquor-be-slobbered city of New York, as a professed minister of Jesus Christ, gives aid and comfort to the greatest evil in the land by denouncing the Prohibition movement a fraud and a failure. So far as he is concerned it is a failure, for it could not prevent him from importing a cargo of wines for home consumption. His intemperate words betray inspiration derived rather from the 'spirit of wine' than from the Spirit of God. A bishop should keep sober, refrain from bearing false witness, talk good sense, or keep his mouth shut."

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## Unofficial Vote Hopkins County, November, 4, 1902.

| PRECINCT.             | COURT OF APPEALS. |              | CONGRESSMAN.   |             |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|
|                       | T. J. NUNN.       | R. L. DARBY. | A. O. STANLEY. | R. W. LUCK. |
| White Plains.....     | 130               | 54           | 185            | 54          |
| Nortonville.....      | 64                | 23           | 85             | 22          |
| Mortons Gap.....      | 105               | 108          | 108            | 108         |
| St. Charles.....      | 45                | 111          | 47             | 111         |
| Lake Earlington.....  | 91                | 203          | 92             | 201         |
| N. E. Earlington..... | 101               | 180          | 100            | 190         |
| Barnesley.....        | 49                | 34           | 48             | 36          |
| Court House.....      | 103               | 83           | 99             | 81          |
| Elk.....              | 69                | 100          | 69             | 100         |
| Colton.....           | 07                | 78           | 68             | 80          |
| East Hanson.....      | 01                | 77           | 90             | 77          |
| West Hanson.....      | 88                | 14           | 90             | 14          |
| Oakwall.....          | 113               | 40           | 113            | 38          |
| North Nebo.....       | 53                | 07           | 53             | 07          |
| South Nebo.....       | 74                | 55           | 74             | 56          |
| Dalton.....           | 64                | 60           | 63             | 61          |
| Silver Run.....       | 84                | 37           | 84             | 37          |
| Charleston.....       | 73                | 41           | 74             | 41          |
| Dawson.....           | 82                | 100          | 81             | 107         |
| Isley.....            | 25                | 141          | 26             | 142         |
| Mill.....             | 78                | 140          | 72             | 143         |
| Kitchen.....          | 134               | 86           | 132            | 85          |
| Manitou.....          | 85                | 47           | 86             | 47          |
| Richland.....         | 51                | 94           | 51             | 94          |
| Total.....            | 1925              | 1932         | 1918           | 1932        |

## HOPKINS COUNTY

Gives Small Republican Majorities, With Light Vote Generally.

## LITTLE INTEREST MANIFESTED.

Quiet Election Throughout the County And Little Work Done.

Tuesday's election was one of the quietest affairs of the kind ever pulled off in Hopkins county, perhaps, except at the county seat, where the proposition to vote bonds for a municipal light plant warmed things up to a white heat. In fact, many people throughout the county did not know there was to be an election until a day or so before election day, and the returns would indicate that many did not know, or did not remember that there was to be an election, at all. Voters in Earlington have said since the election that this was their case and this condition seems to have prevailed in many other precincts. There was a small vote cast on all sides and the day passed by quietly. The election seemed to have been taken part in only by those who knew their minds and who went out to the polls to express their own wishes. Organized workers were not in evidence and the usual work of sending carriages and runners out after slow voters, was omitted. In fact, a general lack of active interest prevailed in most places. The total vote cast in the election for Judge of the Court of Appeals was only 8,507, against a total of about 6,900 in the election of November, 1901, showing that a very large proportion of the total vote of the county stayed at home.

The complete figures for the county show a Republican majority of 14 in the Congressional race and 7 in the race for Judge of the Court of Appeals. The total vote in the latter race for the county was P. J. Darby, 1,902; T. J. Nunn, 1,925. In the Congressional race, R. W. Black, 1,902; A. O. Stanley, 1,918. The county went Democratic last year by about 450.

Above is published a tabulated statement of the vote by precincts, which was had from the County Court Clerk's office yesterday afternoon after all returns were in.

## Now an Okeopath.

J. W. McCord, of this city, having passed a satisfactory examination, has received the degree of Doctor of Osteopathy by a Chicago school. His father, W. E. McCord, of Ky., is an old reliable M. D. under whom young J. W. studied medicine. But osteopathy being his choice he has spent much time in the past two years in the study of the science.—Hustler.

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win in shackles. It isn't a question of his winning a race, but a question of being able to keep ahead. The man who is suffering from indigestion is like the fettered swimmer. His stomach and his allied organs of digestion and nutrition are diseased. Whenever disease affects the stomach it is affecting the blood and the health of every organ of the body. For blood is only food converted into nutrition and nutrition is the life of the body and every organ of it. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It purifies the blood and enables the perfect nutrition of the body which means perfect health.

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## NORTONVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. Dan Hoggood, of Illinois, is visiting Mr. Fate Garrett.

Bailey Franklin has opened up with a full time of dry goods in the Earlington house.

Carr and Bill Hawkins have purchased lots at this place.

Pete Shelton is erecting a new dwelling on his farm, near this place.

Dilmers Wright and Tim Carroll was in this vicinity Sunday.

Rev. Grey Teague, of Old Petersburg, preached at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

G. W. Lantrip visited Carr Hawkins Sunday.

Bill Hawkins, of Huckleberry Ridge, was in our midst this week.

Ben Franklin and wife visited Joe Vandiver Thursday night.

William Barnes will soon erect a storehouse at this place.

Mr. Ed Carroll, a respectable citizen of near Mannington, died last week. Mr. Carroll was born in Ireland about sixty-five years ago and was a soldier in the late rebellion.

Obe Boyce, who has been on the sick list for some time, is no better.

Mr. Charley Owens, of Madisonville, was in our town one day this week.

Edgar Lyell, of White Plains, will move his family to the Wm. Thomas farm, near this place, in the near future.

Will Dillingham will move his family to this place in the near future.

Mrs. John Whitaker is visiting relatives in the country this week.

P. Bailey Monk was in Madisonville one day last week.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Browning was buried at New Salem Monday.

Foley's Honey and Tar ointment stops the cough and heals the lungs. Sold by John N. Taylor.

Will Keep Borders. Mrs. Coombs has opened up a first class boarding house in her residence and is now prepared to keep boarders at the prevailing prices.

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## NEBO NOTES.

The election passed off very quietly. Stanley carried the two precincts by a plurality of six votes. A small vote was cast.

Farmers are very busy getting in their winter supply of coal, gathering corn and burning plant ground.

W. D. Rutherford, of the L. & N., came down Tuesday night to attend church and see his "mamma."

Sam Langley is attending church at Nebo this week.

W. D. Coil has loaded two cars with coal this week.

Elder Moore is conducting an interesting meeting at the Christian church this week. Much interest is being manifested.

Mrs. Macie Miller, of Stanhope, spent several days at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Hill.

Mrs. Mary McDow and Mrs. Sallie Thompson, of Llaniam, visited in Nebo Saturday night and Sunday.

M. P. Winstead made a flying trip to Dixon Sunday.

Rev. Rogers preached on the street in Nebo election day. He had an attentive audience, and preached a good sermon.

Elder Moore administered baptism to six candidates Tuesday evening.

Some interest is being shown in regard to coal in Nebo, two six foot stratas having been discovered.

W. D. Coil is boring for coal on the farm of Mr. Jno. Ramsey, about one mile from here.

Minos Cox, who had about recovered from the typhoid fever, has relapsed and has been quite sick, but is better.

Mrs. N. L. Day is improving.

Some farmers have commenced gathering crops; they report the crop as much better than was expected.

Tobacco buyers are quiet.

Yutman Johnson, who has been listing the property in this district, has about completed his work.

What is up and looking well.

Mr. Jas. Durham, our worthy postmaster, had the misfortune to fall from some unexplained reason one of his fingers nearly off. He grunted worse than a steam engine, and has been as cross as a bear with a sore head ever since.

The Rev. Downs succeeded in capturing the largest hawk we ever saw. He was a whopper.

We understand that Mr. George Endaley has bought a fine farm in Muhlenburg county, adjoining the Black Lake, and will engage in raising crops.

Some little excitement was caused by the strange actions of a dog, but it passed away and was hurt or bit.

Big Indian.

A Policeman's Testimony. J. N. Patterson, night policeman of Nashville, Tenn., writes: "Last winter I had a cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and was relieved from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar ointment. I tried the greatest cold and lung medicine in the world."

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